# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
# RAILWAYS
# LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2092
ANSWERED ON:09.03.2006
ELECTRIFICATION OF RAILWAY LINES
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**Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:**

(a) the total length of electrified railway lines in the country as on date, zone-wise;

(b) the target fixed for electrification of railway lines in the country during Tenth Five Year Plan, zone-wise;

(c) the details of the railway lines, electrification of which is behind the schedule; and

(d) the steps taken to complete the electrification works of those railway lines expeditiously?

## Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI R.VELU)

(a) to (d): A statement is attached.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (d) OF UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.2092 BY SHRIMATI SANGEETA KUMARI SINGH DEO AND SHRI KASH1RAM RANA TO BE ANSWERED IN LOK SABHA ON 09.03.2006 REGARDING ELECTRIFICATION OF RAILWAY LINES.

(a): The total length of electrified railway lines on Indian Railway, Zone-wise as on 01.01.2006 is as under:-

| SN | Railway | Route Kilometres Electrified |
|---|---|---|
| 1. | Central | 1796 |
| 2. | Eastern | 1294 |
| 3. | East Central | 1380 |
| 4. | East Coast | 1264 |
| 5. | Northern | 1088 |
| 6. | North Central | 1384 |
| 7 | North Eastern | 19 |
| 8. | North Frontier | 0 |
| 9. | North Western | 0 |
| 10. | Southern | 1652 |
| 11. | South Central | 1536 |
| 12. | South Eastern | 2136 |
| 13. | South East Central | 1209 |
| 14. | South Western | 157 |
| 15. | Western | 1148 |
| 16. | West Central | 1257 |
| | Total | 17320 |

(b): During the 10th Plan, a target of 1800 Route Kilometres has been fixed for electrification over Indian Railway. Since electrification of railway routes are not confined to Zonal boundary, Zone-wise targets are not fixed.

(c) & (d): No electrification of rail line is running behind schedule as the targets of completion of electrification projects are fixed on year to year basis keeping in view the rogress of the works and the availability of resources.